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Re: Application of Satoshi HANADA and Ryuma KURODA
POLYOLEFIN RESIN FOAMED SHEET AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF
Assignee: SUMITOMO CHEMICAL COMPANY, LIMITED
Our Ref. Q67358

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 49 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and , 2 sheets of drawings. Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment. **The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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| Total claims | 6 - 20 | = | | x | \$18.00 | = | |
| Independent claims | 2 - 3 | = | | x | \$84.00 | = | |
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| TOTAL FEE | | | | | | | \$740.00 |

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$740.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

| <u>Country</u> | <u>Application No</u> | <u>Filing Date</u> |
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| Japan | 2000-364497 | November 30, 2000 |
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The priority documents are enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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